

Landscape Watering by the Numbers: Water Scheduling and Controller Programming

Sat., April. 10, 1:30 – 4 p.m., Mesa Main Library, 64 E 1st Street

The Environmental & Sustainability Division and City of Mesa Library are presenting a *free* monthly workshop series featuring earth-friendly advice for your home and garden. Join us on **Saturday, April 10 with Horticulturist, Donna DiFrancesco,** who will take the mysteries out of landscape watering.

No registration is necessary. Call (480) 644-4400 for more information.

Course Description

Did you know that up to 70% of your water use is outdoors and that landscapes are often watered three to five times more than needed? If you're mystified about landscape watering, you're not alone. Watering is as easy as 1, 2, 3 when you learn about landscape plant water needs, how to create a watering schedule, and how to program your irrigation timer with handson instruction. Watering properly and efficiently is the easiest way to reduce your water bill while keeping your landscape healthy and beautiful.

Speaker Bio

Donna DiFrancesco is a Horticulturist and Conservation Specialist with the City of Mesa Environmental & Sustainability Division where she educates Mesa residents and professionals about Xeriscape, water conservation, living green and sustainability.

Before taking her current position in 1997, Donna worked as a Horticulture Program Coordinator for the University of Arizona Maricopa County Cooperative Extension Office and worked as a Revegetation Ecologist (overseeing maintenance of arid landscapes) for the Flood Control District of Maricopa County.



Up to 70% of your water use it outdoors!





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